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BLOOD GROUP AND PLATELET ANTIGEN GENOTYPES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 16, 2008, in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants elect Group I (claims 1, 2 and 6). Primers RHDe92 (SEQ ID NO: 3) and RHDe9A (SEQ ID NO: 4) are further elected. Elections are made with traverse.

Amendments to the Claims begins on **page 2** of this paper.

Remarks begin on **page 7** of this paper.